

2023 State Convention & Awards Banquet

Tuesday, May 23rd
Turf Valley Resort, Ellicott City, MD



Sponsor, Exhibitor & Advertiser Opportunities

The Arc Maryland is pleased to share sponsor, exhibitor, and advertiser opportunities for our 2023 State Convention! Please review our sponsorship levels and their complete list of benefits below. Our Keynote Speaker for the event is Russell Lehmann, an internationally recognized motivational speaker, poet, author and advocate who happens to have autism. We hope you will join us in supporting our annual event! **Check off the options below that apply.**

Sponsorship Opportunities – I would like to Sponsor the Convention at the following level:

Sponsorship Level	Benefits
<p>Trailblazer \$7,500 (Plenary Sponsor 1 Available)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Brief speaking opportunity during plenary session. • Prominent Sponsor Recognition at the Event and in the Event Program. • 1 table (8 tickets) for the Awards Luncheon.* • 1 Full-Page Program Advertisement on the front or back cover. • 1 Exhibitor Table at Convention. • Prominent Display of Logo & Name in Plenary Session promotional marketing. • Recognition on Convention Website Page and on Social Media. • Option of providing a Giveaway item at own cost in Convention bag. • 2 tickets to the Direct Support Professional Awards Cocktail Reception. • Option to provide a brief video advertisement (up to 1 minute) to play in the banquet hall as attendees enter for lunch.
<p>Change Agent \$5,000</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Logo inclusion on Convention's prominent Giveaway. • Prominent Sponsor Recognition at the Event and in the Event Program. • Brief speaking opportunity during breakout session. (Optional) • 6 tickets for the Awards Luncheon.* • 1 Full-Page Program Advertisement. • 1 Exhibitor Table at Convention. • Recognition on Convention Website Page and on Social Media. • Option of providing a Giveaway item at own cost in Convention bag. • 2 tickets to the Direct Support Professional Awards Cocktail Reception.
<p>Champion \$2,500</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sponsor Recognition in the Event Program. • 4 tickets for the Awards Luncheon.* • 1 Full-Page Program Advertisement. • 1 Exhibitor Table at Convention. • Recognition on Convention Website Page. • Option of providing a Giveaway item at own cost in Convention bag.
<p>Advocate \$1,250</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sponsor Recognition in the Event Program. • 2 tickets for the Awards Luncheon.* • Half-Page Program Advertisement. • 1 Exhibitor Table at Convention. • Recognition on Convention Website Page. • Option of providing a Giveaway item at own cost in Convention bag.
<p>Friend \$500</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sponsor Recognition in the Event Program. • 2 tickets for the Awards Luncheon. • Recognition on Convention Website Page.



*If you do not wish to use all of your lunch registrations, you can donate some to Self-Advocates to attend.

Exhibitor Opportunities – I would like to exhibit at the Convention at the following level:

Exhibitor Level	Benefits
General Exhibitor Table Early Bird by April 9th - \$400 After April 9th - \$425	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 table in the Exhibitor area, located in area of high traffic on the Convention floor, open from 9 AM to 4 PM. • 1 Ticket for the Awards Luncheon
State Agency/Nonprofit Org Early Bird by April 9th - \$325 After April 9th - \$350	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 1 table in the Exhibitor area, located in area of high traffic on the Convention floor, open from 9 AM to 4 PM. • 1 Ticket for the Awards Luncheon

Advertiser Opportunities – I would like to advertise in the program at the following level:

Advertiser Level	Benefits
Full-Page Advertisement - \$275	1 Full-Page (8.5 wide x 11 tall) advertisement in the Convention Program. <i>Submission Deadline is April 29th</i>
Half-Page Advertisement - \$200	1 Half-Page (8.5 wide x 5.5 tall) advertisement in the Convention Program. <i>Submission Deadline is April 29th</i>

All advertisements must be submitted to lchause@thearcmd.org by April 29th. Artwork must be print-ready, high resolution, and in one of the following file formats: .pdf, .tiff, or .eps.

All Sponsors and Exhibitors should include a high-resolution copy of their logo in .png format to include in promotional and event materials.

Contact Information

Company/Organization (Name as you wish to appear in Convention Materials)

Contact Name

Address City State ZIP

Contact Phone Email Website

Facebook Page Address (If applicable) Twitter profile @ (if applicable)

Payment Information

My check is enclosed and made payable to The Arc Maryland (**preferred**)

Pay online at www.TheArcMD.org via PayPal.

Submit Form

Please save this document to your computer. You can then submit it one of two ways:
 By emailing it to lchause@thearcmd.org **OR** by printing and mailing it to:

The Arc Maryland, Attn: Convention Sponsorship
 8601 Robert Fulton Dr, Ste 140, Columbia, MD 21046

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